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Dum Tacent, Clamant.

There's a sweet and varied language Of the flowers that bless our land, That ever in our summer walks We may read on every hand. While silent, they cry out— Express some fitting thought, Whether it be the pensive, heartsease, Or the sweet forget-me-not. The rose in glorious splendor Shows and tells of love and true, Brighter than any story So old, yet ever new. The violet, shy and drooping, In cloistered nooks are seen, Scattered in tiny clinging groups Along the valleys green. The orchid sweet and fragrant In the woodlands wild and free, Hides close by the fragile fronds Of ferns so tenderly. "Incense of prayer," their perfume Even more sweet than the rose— Lingers a hint of the life of Heaven Wherever the orchid grows. Then the lilies, sweet and spotless, The heart they tell us all, Putting to shame all sordid thoughts, So beautiful and so pure, Tell of a life unsullied. By the lilies that lie in wait; Tell of a glory unsurpassed Beyond the Golden Gate. Sweet vines and water lilies, Fit emblem of the pure, And the lily of the valley Forever will endure. JENNIE E. SNOW KIMBALL.

Sugaring.

Old Style. Recently in the ADVERTISER there appeared an article about making maple sugar, which reminded the writer of the years he followed the same business, but with a different conception of the work. We used to have the same old cedar buckets, some big at the bottom, which when scattering, one could carry only four, one in each hand and one under each arm. In some sugar places this was hard work, in others where the manager had said enough to get ready by breaking out the roads with oxen, the buckets could be carried about the grove so the scattering was done without so much labor. Tapping and hanging the buckets was more pleasure than work. This writer speaks of gathering sap in slumpy snow. Now in five years' actual experience and several more of observation I have seen this done but once or twice. The man who does not gather his sap on the crust early, does not know much about the business. The sap does not run unless there is a sharp freeze, with a warm day following, so the sap does not begin to run until the snow begins to soften, then there would not be time to gather and boil before the next run was ready. To get good results sap must be gathered and boiled down every day and every bucket should be gathered before noon, which by driving the team through the woods with the gathering tub makes the work comparatively light. Gathering sap with a yoke is hard work no one will deny, still to go out with two twenty quart pails run to a good easy yoke, the crust hard and as easy to walk on as a sidewalk, the air keen and bright, the frost sparkling, the early birds singing, the early spring life starting at every hand fills one with about as keen a zest and enjoyment of life as anything I know of. When all is gathered in and boiled down ready for sugaring off, then talk of trouble and work, however much it may have been, is all forgotten. Think of the beautiful golden syrup boiling, sweet, bubbling, with apparently no fire to make it, carefully tended by the master, no amateur has any business there, the slightest mistake spoils the whole. When all is ready he calls "all ready, boys, it's aprons!" We rush with paddles and snow ready for "sheep skins," snowing and cold, and good (?) we have to be seen and eaten to be appreciated. But they never are so good to those who have not begun at the first and seen the operation through to a finish. "The reward cometh to those who labor and are faithful." Yes, sugaring hard work but I know of nothing that carries so much keen enjoyment and ample reward as the old time sugaring off. The pleasures will remember, the work we forget. WM. C. LEAVITT.

FARM AND GARDEN
SELECTING SEED CORN.

How to Examine Kernels and Determine Chemical Contents. The method of making a chemical selection of ears of seed corn by a simple mechanical examination of the kernels is based upon the fact that the kernel of corn is not homogeneous in structure, but consists of several distinct and readily observable parts of markedly different chemical composition. Aside from the hull which surrounds the kernel, there are three principal parts in a grain of corn:

First.—The darker colored and rather hard and horny layer lying next to the hull, principally in the edges and toward the tip end of the kernel, where it is about three millimeters, or one-eighth of an inch, in thickness. Second.—The white, starchy appearing part occupying the crown end of the kernel and usually also immediately surrounding the germ. Third.—The germ itself, which occupies the central part of the kernel toward the tip end.

These different parts of the corn kernel can be readily recognized by merely dissecting a single kernel with a pocket-knife. The horny layer, which usually constitutes about 65 per cent of the corn kernel, contains a large proportion of the total protein in the kernel. The white, starchy part constitutes about 20 per cent of the whole kernel.

On the newer plan a small field from which wheat was harvested last summer and on which the fall sown timothy and spring sown clover were total failures was plowed after harvest and with harrow, roller and drag was made into a fine seed bed. About the 1st of August nine quarts each of timothy and clover mixed were sown, first lengthwise, then crosswise of the field. The sowing was followed by a light harrow, and the timothy and clover stand as thick and vigorous as is possible for them to grow.

Subsurface Packing. On fall plowing subsurface packing of the ground immediately after plowing gave forty-two pounds more wheat and 24 cents more profit per acre than were obtained from the check plots. On spring plowing similar results were obtained. It took a little less water to produce the crops on the land which was subsurface packed, and the soil contained a slightly higher percentage of moisture at the close of the season than was found in ordinary plowing. The subsurface packer is a heavy disk roller. The disks sink through the loose soil at the surface, tending to form and pack the ground near the bottom of the furrow. This establishes a better capillary connection with the firm soil below, which tends to draw the water up into the surface soil, thus causing a more rapid decay of stubble and other matter turned under by the plow and hastening the germination of the seed and the early growth of crop. In all experiments the subsurface packer has given good results.—Professor Ten Eyck, Kansas.

A Safe Trapdoor. Trapdoors in barns and elsewhere have not infrequently been the source of serious accidents. An Ohio Farmer correspondent has designed a door with a view to preventing any such occurrences. As indicated in the cut, B is a plank door, A a piece of plank hinged to the partition and swing back out of the way when not in use. These come up against the battens of the door when it is raised and are hooked firmly to it. There is no danger of falling into this trap.

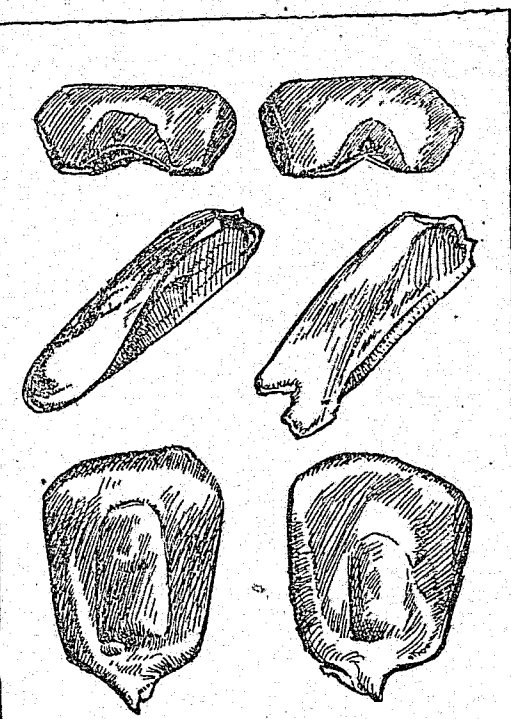
Seed Sprouting Device. A simple germinating apparatus can be made from two ordinary plates and a piece of flannel cloth. Fold the cloth and lay it in one plate, placing the seeds between folds of the cloth, which should be moist, but not dripping. Cover the whole with another plate inverted and stand in a warm place. If the test is made during cold weather, care must be taken to stand the plates where the temperature will not fall much below 50 degrees F. at night and will be about 65 or 70 degrees during the day-time.

Agricultural Notes. In a good many instances it appears to be highly favorable to clover to give the land a heavy dressing of lime. Locality undoubtedly has a decided influence upon potatoes. One good thing will come out of the scarcity of fuel—more attention will be given to the matter of setting out trees on the farm and preserving the forests of the country in other ways. Many prefer to cut back blackberry and raspberry bushes in the spring, after the extent of winter killing is determined. According to official report practically all the paris green on the New York market is pure. At the New York experiment station last season the Crescent strawberry led in yield, producing at the rate of 16,000 pounds of fruit to the acre.

GRASS SEEDING. Experience With Timothy and Clover In the Wheat—The Newer Plan. In many parts of the country last harvest it was found that the seeding of timothy and clover in the wheat had proved a failure, so that the wheat stubble showed but scanty promise for a hay crop next summer. Commenting upon this, W. F. McSparran says in Farm and Fireside: I have generally been successful in thus securing clover and timothy seeded in the wheat, the timothy in the fall, when the wheat is sown, the clover being sown in the spring. During the frozen period of winter I cover the wheat with a thin coat of manure, which settles well down around the wheat plants, stimulating their growth, and at the same time acting as a saving mulch to the little grass plants. After the wheat is harvested the stubble is not pastured, and the grass is generally given another light manure dressing. The moving machine, with elevated bar, clips the weeds before they make seeds and by cutting back the grass or clover growth encourages root development and extension. By this method I have encouraged a most discouraging prospect into a fine harvest.

I count that this is about all I may do under this system of making a hay crop. But even that sometimes comes into the realm of failure, so that I am

about ready to abandon the old method of sowing the grass with the wheat. I have strengthened in my notion of dropping the old plan by my knowledge of the success of a new and much better one. I have frequently sown clover in the spring on well prepared land without the spring on and had most satisfactory results, but not until the second summer after sowing. Sometimes where the land was not too foul with weeds I have harvested a light crop of hay the same season as the seed was sown. But unless the soil and weather conditions are very favorable the first year's crop does not amount to much.



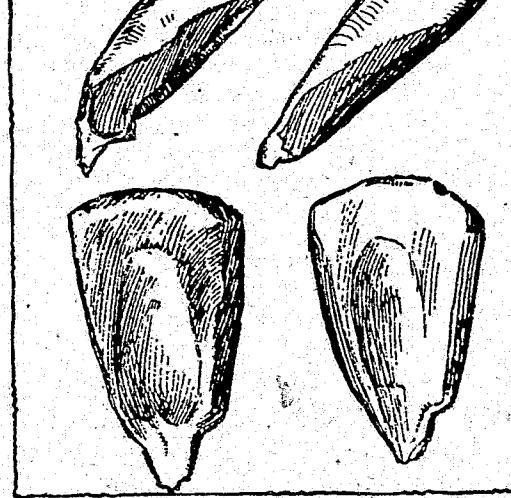
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and contains a small proportion of the total protein. The germ constitutes only about 10 per cent of the corn kernel, but while it is rich in protein it also contains more than 85 per cent of the total oil content of the whole kernel, the remainder of the oil being distributed in all of the other parts.

By keeping in mind that the horny layer is large in proportion and also quite rich in protein and that the germ, although rather small in proportion, is very rich in protein, so that these two parts contain a very large proportion of the total protein in the corn kernel, it will be readily seen that by selecting ears whose kernels contain more than the average proportion of germ and horny layer we are really selecting ears which are above the average in their protein content. As a matter of fact the method is even more simple than this, because the white starchy part is approximately the complement of and varies inversely as the sum of the other constituents, and to pick out seed corn of high protein content it is only necessary to select those ears whose kernels showed relatively small proportion of the white, starchy part surrounding the germ.

As more than 85 per cent of the oil in the kernel is contained in the germ it follows that ears of corn are relatively high or low in their oil content according as their kernels have a larger or smaller proportion of germ.

If we are selecting corn for low protein content, we look for a larger proportion of white starch surrounding the



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germ. Our results have shown that the white starch in this position—that is, surrounding the germ toward the tip end of the kernel—is a better index of the protein content than the starch in the crown end. If we are selecting seed ears for high oil content, we save those ears whose kernels show a large proportion of firm and solid germ, while if seed of low oil content is desired we look for a small proportion of germ in the kernel. It should be emphasized that it is not the absolute, but proportionate, size or quantity of germ or of white starch which serves as a guide in making these selections.—C. G. Hopkins, University of Illinois.

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Cash in office and Bank	578,889 27
Receivables	72,838 81
Accounts Payable	224,202 38
Interest and Rents	15,114 48
All other assets	9,037 80
Gross Assets	\$3,713,211 20
Deduct items not admitted	10,528 82
Admitted Assets	\$3,702,682 38
Liabilities Dec. 31, 1902.	
Net unpaid losses	\$ 181,748 17
Unearned Premiums	560,423 42
All other liabilities	29,844 88
Total	\$ 772,016 47
Cash Capital	1,000,000 00
Surplus over all liabilities	1,250,645 01
Total liabilities and surplus	\$3,702,682 38

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William Newell Thomas.

William Newell Thomas died at his home at East Oxford, Wednesday, April 1, at 2 p. m., after an illness of only seven days.

Mr. Thomas was born Sept. 22, 1831, at the old Thomas homestead, where he has always lived. In his young days he was a teacher of marked ability, and for many years taught in different localities all over the State, being especially sought for in the many hard schools which at that time were more common than at the present time. He had both the brain and muscle to contend with such schools. Later he dealt largely in cattle, wool and lumber, carrying on at the same time a good trade in horses, in connection with his farm work, which he always did in a successful and profitable manner. Horses were one of his particular hobbies. He admired a nice horse and knew one when he saw it.

He filled offices of honor in town and State, as well as in the different societies of which he was always a true help.

He was a man of marked business ability, of genial disposition and a true friend of the poor and needy. Believing that it was more blessed to give than to receive, he acted on that principle. He was a firm believer of the blessed words that "by their works ye shall know them."

Thus he lived and died, a kind, indulgent husband, a loving father and grandparent. He is survived by a widow, two children, one grandchild and two sisters. His son, Arthur Kimball Thomas, who has always lived with his father; his daughter, Mrs. Harley Cushman of Auburn; his one little granddaughter, Helen Thomas; his sister, Mrs. Horace Bolster of South Paris; and the other sister, Mrs. Albert Witham of Oxford.

The funeral was held at his late home, Saturday, April 4, at 1 p. m. A beautiful and touching tribute was paid him by his former pastor and life-long friend, Rev. Stephen I. Richards of Hebron Academy. The Masonic Lodge of Paris, of which he was a member, attended in 72 in number, representing the age of the deceased, from Dr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Marshall of Portland, a lovely piece with floral base and tall upright on which was a crown, with the inscription, "Uncle," on base, from the Field family of Auburn, and a lovely Masonic piece from the Masons, of calla lilies and roses; in the center was the Masonic emblem and letter "G" in immortalities. There is no death, what seems so is transition; This life of mortal breath Is but the suburb of the life Elysian, Whose portals we call death.

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NORTH CHATHAM.

Many Sick Ones.

Our old and respected townsman, Horace Chandler, is very ill with heart trouble and small hopes are entertained of his recovery. There are many sick ones around us at present. Mrs. Warren McKean has had a bad time with her side. Mrs. Belle McKean has been quite poorly. Will Sanborn's little son Anthony has been sick with a bad cold and Dexter Charles is still on the sick list.

Winfield Sanborn helped Walter McKean at Shell pond, last week.

We counted forty wild geese in one flock going south, one day last week.

Seth Thomas is going to work for Hazen Chandler one half of a month, beginning April 6.

Warren Emerson has his old barn nearly torn down, preparatory to putting a new one in its place.

Will Sanborn has made thirty gallons of maple syrup. It has been good sap weather for the past week and the prospects are that we will get another run.

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SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Orrin Sanborn is working for Ernest Davidson.

Mrs. Wm. French is very sick. She is under the doctor's care.

The selectmen expect to finish taking the inventory in two more days.

Mrs. Andrew Brown visited her sick friend, Mrs. Sarah Allen of Conway on Friday.

Andrew Cole is finishing off the chambers in his house. His brother Frank is helping him for a few days.

Mrs. Jesse Ivy and part of her family from the city came to their summer residence in this place on Saturday, the 4th.

School commenced in this place on Monday, the 6th, with the same teacher that kept last year, Miss Anna Yeaton of Conway. Scholars and parents like her.

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WEST DENMARK.

Myrtle Harnden of East Fryeburg visited friends here last week.

Harry Pendexter is taking a vacation at his brother's in Parsonsfield.

Henry Warren has returned home from Sebago where he has been at work.

Clare Walker was thrown while riding horseback one day and injured so that it was necessary to call a physician.

ANDOVER.

Hall-Clark.

Arthur Clark and Nina Hall were married at Rumford Falls by Rev. G. B. Hannaford, last Thursday. In the evening they gave a reception to the relatives at Lowella Hall's. Refreshments were served and they received handsome wedding presents. They will leave for Providence the first of May, where Mr. Clark has a position. We wish them many years of happy wedded life.

Mrs. Henry R. Porter and daughter arrived from Boston recently.

Several couples from here attended the ball at Hanover last recently.

Alice Bedell has arrived from Boston where she has been spending her vacation.

Mrs. H. E. Hall visited friends at South Andover and North Rumford.

We are glad to report our sick people as convalescing. No new cases have appeared.

Arthur and Whitney Roberts with Bert Hutchins left for the lakes on Friday morning, April 3.

Mrs. Alice Merrick arrived from New York April 4. She is visiting at the Gregg house.

A carriage painter has hired the upper part of Mr. Barrett's shop and is doing painting for the public.

Fred Talbot spent Sunday at his home. He has accepted a position in a civil engineer's office at Rumford Falls.

Mrs. O. B. Poor has secured the services of Mrs. Kate Hodgdon to assist in domestic work.

There will be a "Honey eat" at the Universalist vestry on Tuesday evening April 14th. We hope for a full attendance.

The river drivers have not had sufficient water to get many logs in on Sawyer brook but on Black brook have been more successful.

Mrs. George Andrews showed us an egg of one of her Plymouth Rock hens that measured eight inches in length and seven inches in circumference.

Rev. Mr. Holden gave us a fine sermon on Sunday morning, text Rom. 8:28. He held special services at the church on Good Friday evening. The Sunday services are very well attended.

Reports from friends in Montana say that March has been a most uncomfortable month with storms and cold weather, while our friends in Massachusetts write us the grass is green and trees are in bud.

We wish to state that our stage to Rumford Falls has not missed a trip all winter. We commend Mr. Lovejoy as well as the faithful drivers who have braved the most extreme weather and storms that we might have our mail.

Lone Mountain Grange held a meeting April 4th at which nine new members were admitted. The brothers entertained by selections of music, reading and a chip basket which afforded much merriment. The next meeting will be April 18th, with the following program:

Music..... Walter Bailey
Recitation..... Barbara Cushman, Flossie Perkins, L. C. Akers.
Question—Should Farmers always sell the best they raise? Opened by J. F. Talbot.

Assist Nature.

You have been told to "kick your wagon to a star"—that Nature will assist you. That's all right. There are times, however, when you should assist nature, and the spring is one of these times.

Nature is now undertaking to cleanse your system—if you don't assist her she will be derailing will be successful, and your complexion bright and clear.

DIXFIELD CENTRE.

The large boat is in at Peru ferry.

Ethel Kidder has gone to Rumford Falls to work.

Cena Newton has gone to Dixfield village high school.

J. J. Holman has completed his job of hauling pine to the corn shop.

Lucius Carleton and Wimer dress and ship veal calves to Boston market.

The sap season has been as short as sweet. Only about one-third of the usual amount will be made.

Ina Porter, Lena Kidder and the two Berry girls have gone to the village to work in the toothpick mill.

Farmers are busy building fences and picking stones, and a few have not quite got their wood piles worked up yet.

The financial statement of the county shows we are in debt nearly \$80,000, or about the cost of the new county buildings.

John Grover has sold his farm and bought a larger one of Hosea Yeaton, which is on the river road, three miles below the village.

Alexander Holman has five hands employed, and is saving what white birch he has hauled to his mill this winter into squares, which will then go to the spool mill at the village.

Andrew W. Holman, son of J. J. Holman, won second prize at the speaking contest at Wilton Academy, Thursday evening, March 25, Effie Corson winning 1st. Only two prizes were offered.

J. J. Holman tapped 100 trees, Monday, March 30, and made 10 gallons during the week. He has the reputation of making the best syrup of any one in town. He uses the pan and says, "You want the pan for quality, the evaporator for quantity."

Wm. Douglass, a respected citizen living in the east part of this town, died, March 23. He had been in ill health for about four years. He leaves three sons and three daughters. All were present at his death, Marion, his 2d son, arriving from Duluth, Minn., a few hours before he passed away. His other two sons' names are Albion and Rufus. Interment in Severy Hill cemetery. Services by Rev. Miss Powell of North Jay.

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WILSON'S MILLS.

April 3, John Olson started for Portland.

A March snowstorm, April 4. River drivers are going up the stream. The cold weather makes it decidedly unpleasant for them.

Mrs. Josephine Littlehale gave a birthday party for her son Arthur, March 30. A pleasant time for the young people and a nice supper was served.

Thursday evening the reception of Mr. and Mrs. Neal McKinley (nee May S. Flint) was held at Grange hall, Wentworth Location, a dance and a treat.

LOVELL CENTRE.

Deacon Cyrus Andrews.

Deacon Cyrus Andrews died very suddenly, April 2d, of heart failure after effects of grip. He has been poorly all winter but was able to go out about two weeks before he died and took another cold and was confined to his bed but was supposed to be gaining, said himself he was much better. He ate quite a good dinner on Thursday, but died soon after. He was married to Betsey Charles fifty years ago next October. They have five children, the youngest twenty-eight years old, and this is the first time the family has been broken into by death.

He was one of the charter members of the Christian church which was organized in October, 1833, and was at that time elected one of its deacons, which office he held at the time of his death. He dealt quite largely in pine timber and his judgement was sought by many. He will be missed in his family, in his church and in the community.

Nellie and her brother, Orin Andrews, was home from Lawrence to attend their father's funeral.

Mrs. Nellie Eastman is on the sick list.

Mrs. J. D. Hatch went to Groveton, last Monday. She will stay with her sister for a few weeks.

MASON.

Mrs. H. Hutchinson has returned home from Norway.

Mrs. N. Mills is much better and able to sit up some.

Mrs. Gertrude McKensie of Albany visited relations in town last week.

Percy O'Brien of West Bethel has hired with Arthur Morrill for the summer season.

Mrs. Ella Hutchinson and little son Malcolm are stopping with her father, Arthur Tyler.

People have begun to farm a little as the snow is about gone and the frost is out of the ground.

Mrs. Charles Abbott of West Bethel Flat is visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrill.

Effie Tyler has returned home from West Bethel where she has been working for Mrs. Walter Strickland.

Elmer Morrill is working up the year's supply of wood for his father. Although he is a small boy of thirteen years, he has fitted a large pile of wood for the stove.

Mrs. Edward Uhlman arrived from Massachusetts last week. Mr. and Mrs. Uhlman have moved onto their farm which they purchased of Mrs. Addison Bean last fall.

T. Hastings is trying hard to drive his spruce out into the big river but it is discouraging as the dam across Lovell brook leaks so often. Charles Abbott is cookey for Hastings on the drive.

CASCO.

Hall Edwards has been on the sick list. Maud E. Burgess has returned to Auburn.

Dexter Edwards has 17 fine pigs two weeks old.

About one inch of snow fell the night of the 4th.

Mae Barton is stopping in Windham for the present.

Cyrus Barton has the lumber sawed to build a hen house.

George Edwards has the lumber ready to build a hen house.

Dr. L. H. Poore is still confined to the house with heart trouble.

Mrs. Hattie Edwards is at work in Harrison for a few weeks.

Fred Thorpe of Raymond visited his friend, E. A. Barton, the 4th.

Mrs. Bert Schelenger of Poland is visiting her father, Eleazer Meserve.

There will be a fair at Little Rigby this fall, date not known at present.

Albert Owen and wife are keeping house in one of Hall Edwards' rents.

Owing to the bad weather there has been but little maple syrup made in this town.

George Nutting has so far recovered from his late illness as to take short walks and drives.

George Rand, who has been living in Hall Edwards' rent at Webb's Mills, has moved to Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. E. A. Barton has a giant calla lily that stands five feet from the top of the tub to the top of the leaves. The lily is 20 years old.

E. A. Barton has a pair of Holstein, bull calves that are perfectly matched. They are twins and when six hours old weighed 75 pounds each.

James Eastman went to Portland on business Friday, April 3.

Irving Kemp has gone to Windham to attend the funeral of his father.

Ethel Fickett has returned to Bridgton Academy after a brief vacation.

Mrs. George Curtis has been sick the past week, attended by Dr. Fickett.

Frank Grover has bought the house recently occupied by Dana Hamlin.

M. Gay had a birthday party Wednesday evening, April 1, about twenty being present.

The High school gave their exhibition in Hancock's hall Saturday evening, April 11.

E. Jordan and family of Poland spent Saturday and Sunday at his father's, Peter Jordan's, last week.

Seventeen young people of this place attended the sociable at Spurr's Corner, Monday night, last week.

Iva Spiller and Mrs. R. Gay went to Riverton Friday, April 3, to attend the British Academy Alumni banquet.

M. Leach and daughter Isabelle went to New Gloucester Thursday to attend the funeral of their cousin, Geo. Clark.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

Mrs. Francis Hutchins has rented her house at Rumford Point to Mrs. Worcester and come to live with her daughter, Mrs. W. Clark.

Helen Doughty, who has worked for Mrs. M. L. Wyman the past nine weeks, has gone to work for Mrs. Rawley in Stratglass Park.

Charles S. Lucie has been appointed postmaster at East Peru.

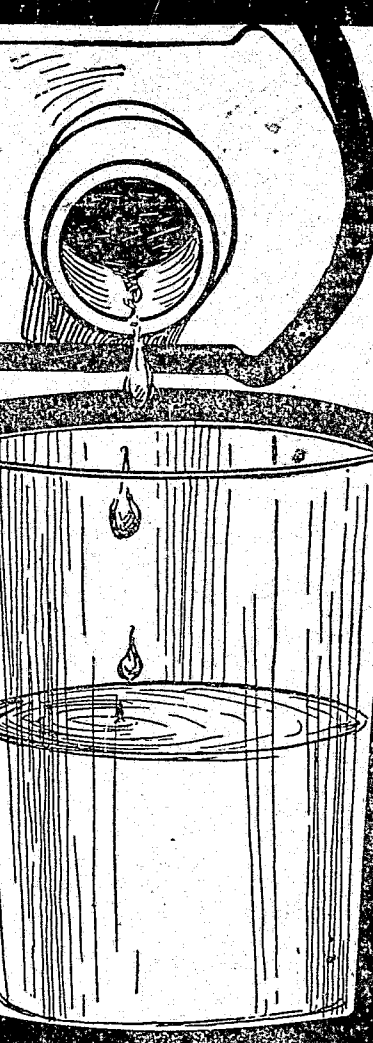
Dr. C. M. Bisbee of Rumford Falls has been appointed county inspector of insane criminals.

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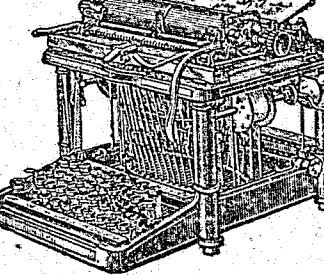
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Coming Events.

Apr. 23—A Delicate Question, Robinson Hall, Oxford.
Apr. 25—Fast Day.
May 1—Silver Gray ball, Grange Hall, South Waterford.
May 1—Arbor Day.
May 1—Oxford Pomona Grange, Hebron.

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Advertisers and correspondents will please take notice and get copy in one day early next week on account of Fast Day.

There will be a Silver Gray ball at Grange Hall, South Waterford, Friday evening, May 1st. Music by Packard's orchestra, four pieces. Refreshments served by K. P. Floor director, M. Monroe; aids, W. A. Southworth, W. H. Haynes, George Henry Brown. Grand march at 8 o'clock.

The evening of Fast Day, April 23, the Jolly Twelve will present the comedy drama, A Delicate Question, in Robinson Hall, Oxford, managed by Jones' Orchestra. Drama to be followed by dance and supper.

Ezra Meeker, the hen-pecked..... Dr. Holden
"Marlar," the hen-pecked..... Mrs. Emma Jones
Zachariah Snareder, the robber..... J. B. Jones
Will Goodhall, the hired man..... Dr. Farris
Elsie Meeker, the choir leader..... Nellie Hayes
Harry Meeker, the black sheep..... Ed Fuller
Representative Peaslee's secretary..... Reggie Robinson
Lem Davis, the saloon keeper..... Ed Fuller
Ben Spaulding, the mayor..... Perley French
Tom Barton, the police force.....
"Jaggy," the town bum..... Reggie Robinson
Seth Soper, the postmaster..... Ed Fuller
"Pickles," the bound girl..... Emma Kolden
Oxford Pomona Grange.

The monthly meeting of Oxford County Pomona Grange will be held at Hebron, Tuesday, May 15. Program:
Reading..... Hebron Grange
Question—How can a woman best achieve greatness? Discussion opened with paper by Mrs. W. R. Hamlin.
Music..... Norway Grange
Paper..... Hebron Grange
Reading..... West Minor Grange
Topic—What varieties of apples to raise and how to set the tree..... C. H. George
Care of the orchard..... L. Phillips
How to market apples..... A. P. Given
Each topic open to discussion.....
Music..... West Minor Grange

WEST PARIS.

The Church to Control the Horse Sheds.
At a meeting recently held by the trustees of the M. E. Church and those owning in the horse sheds, it was a unanimous vote, that the sheds shall be the exclusive property of the Methodist church. It was voted to close the sheds to public use and restrict their use to members and those attending the M. E. church services, former owners to have priority right to use the sheds when they are present. It was voted that every shed shall be open at every religious service.

The above is the substance in a nutshell of the nineteen different articles of the by-laws drawn up, voted for and signed by each of the trustees and former owners in the horse sheds connected with the M. E. church as passed in to your correspondent.

Lizzie Ryerson has returned to Milan to teach school.

Rev. and Mrs. Rich had company from Buckfield over Sunday.

Mabel Stearns has just returned from a trip to Washington, D. C.

Mina Houghton of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Bryant.

Rev. and Mrs. Rich started for conference at Bridgton, Tuesday morning.

Ina Curtis has finished work for Dr. O. K. Yates and Alice Penley takes her place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hudson have moved into Mrs. Bradbury's house over the store.

Mrs. Elva Locke has just returned from her winter's stay with her daughter, Mrs. Gerrish at Lisbon, and other relatives in Portland.

Inez Briggs has returned from Worcester, Mass., where she has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Bird, for the past seven or eight months.

Mr. and Mrs. William Soule of Auburn and Mrs. Horace Andrews and Bessie Andrews of Bethel are visiting their sister, Mrs. C. C. Dearborn.

Mrs. O. K. Yates accompanied her niece, Mrs. T. B. Daniel, to Lewiston to visit her niece there and attend the Easter services, Sunday morning.

There is to be no preaching service at the Methodist church, next Sunday morning but Mrs. B. M. Edwards of Brunswick will preach at the Free Baptist church. Everybody will be welcome.

R. T. Flavin and George Tuell are helping prepare the ground for the first new house on the land recently bought by L. C. Bates. Mr. Bates has also bought another lot of Mrs. C. C. Dearborn on the street, between the Free Baptist church and Mrs. Clara Ridlon.

Mrs. S. N. Young gave a very pleasant whist party, last Saturday evening, at her home on High street in her daughters, Cora and Lillian Young of Haverhill, Mass. Eight tables were filled. Refreshments consisting of ice cream, cakes, olives and fancy crackers were served. Among the guests were friends from Bryant's Pond and Lewiston.

Onward Rebekah Lodge will present the drama entitled "Out in the Streets" on Thursday evening, April 23, at Centennial Hall.

Dr. Jasper Wayne..... Charles Barden
Matt Davis..... Arthur Tucker
Carolina Peters..... Charles Bacon
Dr. Medfield..... Elmer Richer
Policeman..... Jerry Cole
Mrs. Bradford..... Bertha Cole
Mrs. Wayne..... Mildred Davis
Nina Wayne..... Ethel Young
Minnie Bradford..... Madge Tuell

There will also be vocal and instrumental music.
Porcupine bounty blanks for use of town treasurers, for 25 cents per dozen. Send to F. W. Sanborn, Norway, Me.

EAST WATERFORD.

Somewhat Disfigured.
Three of the mill hands engaged in a free fight near Pappoose pond, Monday afternoon. No great damage except to clothing, and disfigured countenances.

Will Emery went to Portland Monday. Potatoes are scarce and high, 70 cents being the going price.

The ice left the ponds Friday, the 11th, and now for smelts and suckers.

Helen Sanderson, who has been dangerously ill at the Flat, is improving.

The dowl business is hardly up to that of last season. They think the whole will be finished by July 1.

The past few sunny days with gentle breeze, are fast drying the roads and business is assuming a more lively aspect.

Poultry fanciers should call at Oscar Gory's and see his coop of Buff Cochins, eightpullets and a cockerel that weighs twelve pounds; the pullets being close up to that mark. They were purchased for breeding purposes and bear every resemblance of pure blood.

UPTON.

Sawed a Bad Gash.

While Blodgett was sawing wood for Charles Chase with a circular saw, in clearing out the sawdust under the saw, it caught in his sleeve, drawing his arm on the saw and cutting a bad gash. Mr. Powell carried him to Andover to see a doctor.

Joe Marshall visited in town for a few days recently.

H. T. Chase is soon to rebuild on the old building spot.

Ed Chase has recently laid a new hardwood floor in his kitchen.

Jim McLeod and son Lewis has gone to Bethel on business.

Addie Brown has gone to Dixfield to stay with her sister, Mrs. Coolidge, and attend school.

We understand that school is to begin on Monday, Apr. 20, provided the traveling is suitable.

Walter Ellingwood came from Magalloway, where he has been sick. He has gone to the hospital to be treated for appendicitis.

Representative Peaslee and wife have returned from Augusta. Mr. Peaslee's secretary, Miss Morse, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is rapidly recovering.

Will Whitney started Monday morning for the Portland hospital. He was accompanied as far as Bethel by his wife, who is to stay at Bethel until she hears from him. He is to be treated for appendicitis.

J. P. West, a man of about 70 years, has worked up a large wood-pile, repaired all his fences, no small job, as he owns a large farm, and hauled out considerable dressing. Pretty good start on his farming.

EAST BUCKFIELD.

Did You see the Eclipse.
Did every one notice the eclipse of the moon Saturday evening?

Mrs. Moses Brown is reported as improving after quite an ill spell.

Solon C. Tuttle has some friend who sent him a very pretty watch, chain and fob attached.

Mrs. Mary E. Tilston last week went to her home in Mechanic Falls, she has been stopping in this vicinity two months.

Carroll Mason who has been sick so long has had a relapse and it was feared he would not live. He is said to be some better.

Mrs. Emma Quimby, John N. Irish's housekeeper, was called to East Peru Saturday to attend the funeral of her only brother, Wm. Trask.

David Record's wife's son, Charles Randall, whose home is in Canton, will soon move with his family to New Mexico, and work for his wife's uncle, Dexter Low.

LYNCHVILLE.

The ice went out of Proctor pond on April 4.

Mrs. Mariou Caldwell went to Poland last Tuesday.

L. H. Burnham sold a pair of oxen to Mr. Carter of North Norway.

Fred McKeen was here from Bethel Saturday and returned Sunday.

Charles McKeen is getting ready to build an ell on his house and new barn.

James Dyer and Minnie McKeen went to visit relatives and friends in Bethel, Monday and came home Tuesday.

Eugene McKeen and wife have taken J. Thurston's boarding house at Swan's Corner, Bethel, to run this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cordwell went to Locke's Mills, Saturday to visit her mother and returned Tuesday night.

Geth McAllister has returned from Norway where she has been stopping with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Morgan, James Dyer, who spent the past winter at Berwick with his grandson, Harry Buzzell, returned to Albany last week.

Ralph Adams, wife and little daughter Angie visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Adams at West Stoneham last Sunday.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

Birthday Surprises For Nights.

Birthday surprises are the order of the night lately. At one given Lee Elliott last week, over twenty were present. At one given Virgil Fuller, over thirty enjoyed themselves with games, music, dancing and a fine treat of cake, coffee and ice cream. Fremont Abbott took a flashlight picture of the crowd.

Harry Hall from the Falls is helping Gene Davis in his milk business.

W. Clark has gone to his camp in Mexico, his first visit there this spring.

Mrs. Smith from Rumford Falls has been caring for Mrs. Willard Wyman and baby.

Mrs. John Keene visited her friend, Margie Fleck, on Hall Hill, Friday and Saturday.

We were pained to hear of the death of our former neighbor, Mrs. Coleman Hemmingway, who died at her home in Virginia, Apr. 11, after a week's illness with liver trouble.

WEST DENMARK.

W. N. Carver was home Sunday.

Little Everett Swan, who has been ill, is much better.

Genie Swan spent Sunday with her parents at home.

Simon Tibbetts is sawing wood in this section with a horse power machine.

Guy Hazelton and family leave soon for St. Louis where they will live in the future.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Dislocated Shoulder.
Mrs. Cleveland, who is keeping house for her brother, R. M. Williamson, is suffering from a dislocated shoulder, caused by a fall.

O. P. Littlehale arrived in this place last week.

Jack Downing is saving poplar for C. D. Bean.

Mrs. Lewis Spinney, who has been ill, is recovering.

H. M. Kendall has been appointed road commissioner.

T. J. Sargent is confined to the house by a severe attack of grip.

J. J. Spinney has gone to Rumford Falls for the remainder of his goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stowe of West Paris are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barker entertained a party of their young friends last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Stowe have gone to Snow's Falls to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Green Emery.

EAST HEBRON.

The Busy Bees.

Last Saturday, the busy bees were very active around Mrs. T. L. Rogers' wood-pile again. Charles Fogg, Arthur Hazen and Bennie Beals commenced work in the morning, as the baseball club were to play in the afternoon. In the afternoon, L. G. Perry, D. B. Perry and B. Phillips came and saved and split all the remainder of the wood and packed a large lot in the stable. Both parties worked every moment as if life depended on finishing the wood-pile. Mrs. Rogers knew nothing of the intended bee until she saw them at work, but was very, very thankful for their friendly kindness and hopes Heaven will bless them abundantly for their good deeds.

Solomon Rowe and family moved back from North Turner, last Friday.

An unusually large number of farms in the near vicinity are for sale this spring.

The Keene brothers have returned from West Paris, where they spent the winter in the wood business.

On Easter evening a concert was given by the children, assisted by Rev. Mr. Kelley and the choir and some others.

A. P. Allen goes out to the door when the air is mild. His daughter, Mrs. Sherman Beare, and her daughter are assisting Mrs. Allen, whose health is quite poor at present.

There is no change for the better among our sick. Mrs. Hattie Record Allen is very sick, and has failed to get a doctor by telephoning three times on the new telephone. We fear the doctors or wires have left us for good.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Bought a Farm.

Samuel Young has bought a farm near East Waterford of Fred Kilgore and will soon move there with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Young are people whom we can all afford to lose, and their going is regretted by all in the place.

Henry Sawin has been having a lame back.

Walter Lord has bought Roy Lord's horse.

C. W. York recently sold a calf to Melvin Allen.

Mand Dresser will teach in Oxford this summer.

Mrs. Rena Sawin is having trouble with her throat.

Howard Allen of Albany was here last Saturday, after working oxen.

Pliny Henley recently sold a cow to Silas Stearns of East Stoneham.

Mrs. Rena Henley is visited by her mother, Mrs. Jackman of Windsor, Vt.

Irving Hamlin of South Waterford was at Merritt Sawin's, Friday of last week.

Mrs. Nellie Flint of Albany called on Mrs. J. D. Horr and Mrs. C. W. York one day last week.

Mrs. May Chaplin and daughter Edith of Sandy Creek were at George Abbott's Saturday and Sunday.

Austin Hutchinson has recently purchased a pair of work horses of A. F. Andrews at Norway.

NORWAY LAKE.

Ice went out of the lake, the 12th.

Irving Perry recently visited friends in Auburn.

Janet Stephens called at W. S. Partridge's Saturday.

Little Donald Wood has been quite ill with indigestion.

V. L. Partridge went to Waterford on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Sylvia Beunett returned from Gilead, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Pride of Norway were at Walter Pride's, Sunday.

Mrs. Blanche Bradbury and Col. Littlefield are at Stoneham fishing.

The Mothers' Church supper was well attended, last week Wednesday night.

Evelyn Partridge has returned to her work in Shaw's Business College, Portland.

Mrs. Asa Frost of Pike Hill visited at her father's, David Flood's, last week.

Mrs. Kate Stevens of Stoneham visited her brother, J. S. Kneeland, last week.

Norway Lake Women's Club will meet with Miss E. M. Partridge, Apr. 22. Program:

Reading—Brave Little Holland..... Mrs. Ursula Perry
Story..... Mrs. Mary Perry
Story..... Mrs. Sylvia Bennett

NORTH WATERFORD.

The river drivers have come and gone.

Mrs. Ella Elliott is in very poor health.

Mrs. Ellen Millett returned from Portland last Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzie Littlefield is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ed Farmer.

Mrs. C. Millett and Mrs. Giles are visiting at Mrs. Ella Knight's.

Florence Brown, who has been quite sick with the grip, is able to go out doors.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hobson visited Mrs. Hobson's mother in Naples last week.

Dr. Atkinson and Erastus Harriman of North Fryeburg were in the place, Monday.

Mrs. John E. Rice has gone to Norway to stay awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Stoe.

Mrs. Millett has returned from the city and now has a nice stock of millinery to select from. See ad.

The prices on groceries at Partridge Bros., seen in another column are interesting to close buyers. Look them over. It is not only in the line of groceries but in other lines that they have. See ad.

Spring Humors

Come to most people and cause many troubles, pimples, boils and other eruptions, besides loss of appetite, that tired feeling, fits of biliousness, indigestion and headache.

The sooner one gets rid of them the better, and the way to get rid of them and to build up the system that has suffered from them is to take

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Forming in combination the Spring Medicine par excellence, of unequalled strength in purifying the blood as shown by unequalled, radical and permanent cures of

Scrofula..... Salt Rheum.
Scald Head..... Soils, Pimples
All Kinds of Humor..... Psoriasis
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Catarrh..... Dyspepsia, Etc.
Accept no substitute, but be sure to get Hood's, and get it today.

BROWN FIELD.

Easter Concert.
The Congregational Sunday school gave a concert, Easter Sunday, with the following program:

Prayer..... Rev. A. J. Cameron
Anthem..... Choir
Recitation—Easter..... Choir
Solo—Church Across the Way..... Elsie Whitney
Recitation—In the Morning..... Carl Johnson
Duet—Take His Hand..... Florence Butterfield
Recitation—An Easter Offering..... Alice Thorne
Solo—Have Faith in God..... Three young ladies
Song—The Captain's Daughter..... Pearl Warren, Erminie Smith and four little girls.
Solo—Only Thine..... Helen M. Harmon
Recitation..... Chester Gilpatrick
Solo—God Made the Lilies..... Leola Butterfield
Recitation—Patchwork..... Josephine Walker
Duet..... Mrs. Frank Marston, Mrs. G. M. Sanborn

Lura Staples is home from Lewiston for the Easter holidays. Her aunt, Mrs. M. F. Daggett, accompanied her and will make a short visit with relatives.

Among those who went to Portland, Saturday, from here were: W. C. Rowe, F. G. Hays, H. F. Fitch, M. D. Ellis, worth Gilpatrick, Mrs. John Kilgore and Alice Quint.

The farmhouse of John Sands, jr., was burned about 4 a. m., Saturday. It is thought a defective chimney was the cause of the fire. Part of the furniture on the lower floor was saved. The family have moved into the house owned by Edgecomb Thorne. As a result of exposure Mrs. John Sands, sr., is very ill, threatened with pneumonia.

EAST FRYEBURG.

Frank Jewell was in the place last week putting new life into all the old horses in the neighborhood. Mr. Jewell is a great man with horses.

H. D. Harnden is still very lame with his ankle.

Mrs. E. B. Warren went to Bridgton last week for a few days.

Mrs. Carrie Warren is stopping for a while with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howard went to Haverhill, Mass., Monday of this week.

Mary McKay is very ill—also her brother George, we are hoping for their speedy recovery.

Leon Witham of Lovell is spending a few weeks with his grandmother, Mrs. Eldora Lord.

Wiley Smith has finished his labors at Ed. Smith's. Nute Smith began work for Ed., Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Armond Warren were called to Bridgton last Thursday to attend the funeral of their Aunt, Mrs. Joseph Sawyer.

Susie Rowe of Denmark teaches the school at Liberty Corner and boards at Walter Blake's. Gertrude Warren teaches on Poplar Hill.

Lucy Ames Frost came from Dorchester, Mass., to her cottage for a few of her housekeeping goods last week, she intends to come to her cottage with her mother in June.

Mr. Jones and Walter Pinkham of North Fryeburg were in the place last week looking up the sweet corn planters. They reported good success. They took dinner at Armond Warren's.

The Clirone Bros. gave an instrumental musical concert at the Band Hall, followed by a social dance last Saturday evening. The instruments were the violin and Italian harp. The Clirone Bros. are very fine musicians.

HARRISON.

Fish by the Bushel.

Smelts have run better than before for years. Last Saturday night it was estimated that fifty bushels were taken.

Lyman Shedd shipped six veals to Boston, last Friday.

Archie Wentworth has moved his family to Bolster's Mills.

It is reported that Ernest Wentworth has appendicitis and will have to go to the hospital.

Joseph Weymouth has been spending a few days with his son, W. E. Weymouth, of Sebago.

BYRON.

Ernest Knapp went to Weld last week. The selectmen are assessing taxes this week.

Pat Travers is sawing wood for Leroy Thomas.

The ice has not gone out of Garland pond yet.

Leslie Dunn is saving his wood by power from his steam engine.

E. C. Poland is loading birch on to the cars at Gun Corner for Swain & Reed.

Oscar Pressey and Walter Easter are sawing poplar with a steam engine on Mill brook.

The school committee had a meeting last week. Schools will commence about the first of May.

A few have commenced to farm but on account of the cold weather but little will be done this month.

Buckskin Sam of Bemis is in town painting and paper hanging. Sam is an expert in that kind of business.

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A full line of SPAULDING, VICTOR, REACH, and HARWOOD makes of Balls, Bats, Mitts, Gloves and everything necessary to play the game, can be found

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NORWAY AND VICINITY

Nine-Tenths of a Century.
Last Thursday, Uncle Jonathan Whitehouse celebrated his ninetyeth birthday by giving a dinner to a company of friends who are well along in years. Mr. Whitehouse is the most elderly man in Norway village, and with one exception the oldest man in the town.

The party was made up as follows: their ages aggregating 882 years:

Jonathan Whitehouse	aged 90
Ephraim Brown	" 83
Gardner Rowe	" 81
Henry Porter	" 81
Mrs. S. I. Mallett	" 78
Mrs. Gardner Rowe	" 78
Cyrus Woodsum	" 78
Mr. Dunham	" 72
Geo. S. Ames	" 72
Mrs. Henry Porter	" 72
Mrs. G. B. Crocker	" 68

Al. P. Bassett has been appointed fish and game warden.

Archie S. Cole was down from Albany on business, Saturday.

Fred Pratt has gone to Auburn to work in a shoe factory.

Anna M. Bennett is confined to the house, sick with the grip.

Ice went out of Lake Penesseewassee last Sunday, April 12th.

A. G. Bean and daughter Nina of Albany were in town, Saturday.

Nat Budd, Jr., of Portland visited at Oscar Bennett's last week.

Little Ruth Blood has recently visited at Mrs. A. R. Penney's at Mechanic Falls.

Edmond Melanson, formerly foreman in the finishing room of Radcliffe Shoe Co., is visiting in Boston for a few days.

Will Marston and John Rhodes showed two pretty trout recently. They would weigh fully one and a half pounds each.

Ike Lowell will move his family to Lewiston where he has secured a position as bookkeeper in the First National Bank.

May and Irving Thibodeau and M. L. Kimball, who have been at the Central Maine General Hospital at Lewiston, returned to Norway the last of last week.

Mercy Milette, the teacher at the upper primary, had an abscess just on the inside of the lower lip, the past week. It was very painful. The school was not in session during her illness.

Letter to J. S. Marr.

NORWAY, MAINE.

Dear Sir: The cost of labor in painting a house is three times the cost of the paint. You seem to save a little when you buy a lower priced paint, but you certainly add to the cost of labor when you pay for spreading more gallons. You don't even save on the paint. Devote Lead and Zinc costs a little more than mixed paints, but it takes fewer gallons, and the cost is actually less.

Wears longer too—longer than mixed paints, longer than lead and oil.

You don't save a cent.

Mr. C. C. Litch, a painter in Magnolia, Miss., writes:

After years of experiments with mixed paints, I find that your paint covers more surface to the gallon than any I have ever used. For density and wearing qualities it cannot be excelled.

Compared with lead and oil: A house belonging to the late President of the Croton River Bank at Brewster, N. Y., (cost \$81,000) was painted with lead and oil in '84 at a cost of \$400. In '87—three years—it was repainted with Devote at a cost of \$850. In '97 the house was still all right.

Results: lead and oil—cost \$400, wear ten years; Devote—cost \$850, wear ten years.

Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOTE & Co.,

New York.

P. S. F. P. Stone sells our paint.

Heald-Varney.

At 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, April 8, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. L. C. Varney of Sumner, her younger daughter, Lydia Jennie, was united in marriage to Washington Heald of North Buckfield, Rev. B. F. Turner officiating.

The decorations were in pink and green. The bride and groom stood under an arch of evergreen and pinks banked with potted begonias and ferns. She was gowning in a dress that did duty when her mother was united in the holy bonds of matrimony nearly fifty years ago. It was a changeable silk of pink and green colors very tastefully trimmed with panne velvet of a deeper shade of green the folds being joined by hand fagoting white crepe de chene, nail heads and white maline. The groom was in the regulation suit of black. The bride carried a shower bouquet of pinks and ferns tied with white ribbons.

The wedding march was played by Mrs. J. C. Morrill. After congratulations they repaired to the dining-room, where the table was tastefully decorated in pink and green. At each guest's place was a small bouquet. The wedding lunch consisted of sandwiches, fancy crackers, cakes, nuts and confectionery, ice cream and punches. The tables were under the able supervision of Margaret Heald and Hattie Varney.

Among those present from out of town were Mrs. C. M. Bartlett of Haverhill, Mass., sister of the bride. The presents were beautiful and costly. Mr. and Mrs. Heald left amid a shower of old shoes and rice, and white ribbon decorations for their pleasant home in Bethel.

Sumner loses one of its most popular and esteemed young ladies. She was formerly a nurse, receiving her training in New York. The happy couple have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy future.

WEST PERU.

Nearly everybody are sick with colds. Oscar Woodbury is in Lewiston, visiting relatives.

Henry Floyd went to Canton, on business the week before last.

A. J. Austin is confined to the house with an attack of the grip.

Lewis Wing and wife are again occupying their house opposite the church. A little baby appeared at three o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. David Chanery, recently.

Hersey Williams of Dickvale is sick with typhoid fever. His mother from Massachusetts is with him. She brought a trained nurse to help care for him.

Easter Hats.

Low and Flat Effects, with Endless Variety of Trimmings—Flowers Smaller, Fruit Larger than ever.

Norway's milliners, Mrs. V. W. Hills and Mrs. G. A. Allen had their Easter Millinery openings Friday and Saturday, of last week. The weather was fine and the openings were largely attended.

The windows were very tastefully trimmed. Mrs. Hills' was nearly all in white with here and there a dash of color in the millinery. There were only a few trimmed hats but they made up in beauty what they lacked in numbers.

A young girl clothed in pure white was just stepping through a half open gate. She was the real summer girl. On her head was a white hat with a chrysanthemum brim, aigrette and lace. The top of the gate formed an arch lettered with "Easter Opening." Inside the decorations were of countless cones hanging from streamers of white baby ribbon.

Mrs. Allen's decorations were of green and white. The green was the evergreen of our woodlands, and it gave a very springlike effect. The window carried out the same idea of decoration as the interior. "Easter Opening" was on the back of a music rack. The lady was dressed in white with a handsome white hat on her head. This was of chiffon, plumes, applique and flowers under the brim. Mrs. Allen had 110 trimmed hats and bonnets besides the ready-to-wear ones. Mrs. Hills had 170 trimmed hats and bonnets. All the hats were of the ready-to-wear. All the hats were trimmed in the work rooms of the establishment. Mrs. F. E. Drake head trimmer was assisted by Grace K. Nevers, Mrs. W. C. Garey and Mrs. Lena Greenwood.

Mrs. Allen was assisted during the opening in entertaining and showing the millinery to the many ladies who called by the head trimmer, Mae Grierson, and Blanche Groves.

Among the new shades offered this year are the champagne and blue, which is a bachelor button blue. Red hats will be worn and black hats will be worn. The separate and a combination will be stylish. The flowers this year will be of small design, the rose bud, forget-me-not, lilac and lily of the valley are being worn. Fruit will also be stylish. The trimming is of the flat order, the aigrettes all being arranged in front and the ribbon chignon and the trimming hanging from the back as last season.

For children, large flat and wavy effects will be the thing, and there gives promise to be a number of large hats worn by every one this season. Bonnets are again regaining favor with the young women and the toque shape will come into use. Sailor shapes for every day wear will be as popular as last year.

One of the latest decorations in the millinery world is the tear drop spangle. One of the prettiest hats is with the tear drop spangles hanging down about the brim. A lady how the left side adds immensely to the effect. Red hats with poppy trimming are conspicuous this year. Ribbon is woven in with the straw in many of the hats. The shepherdess hat in a modified form is very becoming to ladies, and the projecting shape in front is very popular.

The berries grapes and fruit are larger than ever and a great deal worn. We saw a crab apple and some cherries life size. Monte Carlo daisies, marguerites and cowslips are the flowers that are much sought for also chrysanthemums.

All flower and foliage hats beauties. The remaining shades are still straw and straw medallions. The straws are made up into hats in all kinds of fanciful ways and the plain straws that go around the hat are a rarity. Many of the brims have flower facings. Maline is used a great deal instead of chiffon.

The newest of the hats are made of different materials for the new straws, display bands of satin woven in. Many straws are nearly all chiffon. The Easter hats are mostly large, look heavy, but in reality are as light as a feather.

Green and blue are also to be seen, but the shades are lighter than last year. The summer girl may wear a rose sailor hat. The round sailor should be trimmed with flowers. The rolling sailor or if it is worn should be trimmed with silk, decorated with quills that point toward in a warlike manner. The hats with a poppy brim bring to one's mind the poppy. A lady how the left side adds immensely to the effect. Red hats with poppy trimming are conspicuous this year. Ribbon is woven in with the straw in many of the hats. The shepherdess hat in a modified form is very becoming to ladies, and the projecting shape in front is very popular.

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Mrs. Frances Stafford, 243 East 114th Street, New York, N.Y., says:

"It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit I have derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am now enjoying better health than I ever did. It seemed to me that I had no strength at all. I could hardly drag about. I was in pain all over."

"I began to feel better after taking the first dose, and am now like a new woman. I know that if other suffering women would only try it, it would help them. 'I thank you with all my heart for what your medicine has done for me.'"

Reminiscences of Vermont, No. 3.

I must tell you of a picnic the young folks had at Huckleberry Rocks. Don't you know if you ever desire a right good time, just invite a few college friends and a few friends of the place, and you will have it without fail. Now Huckleberry Rocks was across the lake and if you look through a field glass you could see it. I presume at some time huckleberries grew near there, which gave it the name. The party assembled about six p. m. They played golf until dark, then set sail for the picnic. I will not attempt to describe the preliminaries, such as packing lunch baskets, gathering umbrellas, collecting rain coats, etc.

There were Smith College girls, the young lady from Burlington University, the Bowdoin student, also one from Harvard, the High school girls, etc. We watched them until nearly out of sight and even then we could catch strains of "It's a Way We Have at Old Harvard."

On arriving at the desired spot they built a fire. Then a Smith College young lady produced buck wheat and fat, and sat around the fire and told ghost stories, yarns about witches and college exploits. The moon was bright. Some one was asked to furnish a solo, which was performed upon a harmonica, then three cheers for the buckwheat cakes and three more for the girl who made the high school girls, etc. This was on a sheet iron, above it was a large oven having two compartments. In one the lady had a soup boiling. On the floor of the oven were potatoes and beets baking. In the upper compartment was meat roasting. The dining table was set around the fire and a large white cloth was spread over it. Beyond this was a sleeping apartment, two cots at either side of tent. They had coverings for beds filled with feathers such as they use in Germany, made like our comforters only using feathers instead of cotton.



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HARBOR.

Five persons joined the M. E. church Sunday.

Several from this way are planning to attend the Maine Conference at Bridgton.

Mrs. Mary Gray, who spent the winter with her niece, Mrs. Will Gain, has not returned to her home in Conway.

James Johnson and Will Horne went to Norway to buy horses last week. Mr. Johnson bought a pair; Mr. Horne, one.

NEW MILLINERY

North Waterford. 16-18

MRS. ELLEN R. MILLETT

Has returned from the city with a line of Millinery that will please all. No old hats. All new, fresh and beautiful, at lowest possible prices. Call and see her.

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, ETC.

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.

Each word more than 25: One week, 1 cent, and each additional week, 1 cent. This price is for cash in advance. One and two-cent postage stamps taken.

PORCUPINE BOUNTY Blanks for use of Town Treasurer, sent by mail for 25 cents per dozen. Address: Advertiser Office, Norway, Me. 16-18

EGG MACHINES Leghorns of course, eggs from my S. C. Brown Leghorns, 50c per setting, by express, in Canada boxes. Bert J. Flint, North Waterford, Me. 16-17

MASSAGE TREATMENT Orders may be left at the Noyes Drug Store, Norway Village, or telephone to Mrs. E. E. Welch, Norway Lake, Maine. 16-19

PIGS FOR SALE Grade Chester, \$5.00 per pair. F. H. Morse, Waterford, Me. 16

WANTED A capable single man to work on a dairy farm. Wanted to begin work at once. H. W. Coy, Welchville, Me. 16-18

BERKSHIRE PIGS A few choice sow pigs from Hood Farm. Call on or address D. M. Smart, Solater's Mills, Me., P. O. address Harrison, Me., R. F. D. 3. 16-17

WANTED Two girls to represent us in every town in Oxford Co. Good pay for little work. Leads Secord Co., 2185 Washington St., Boston, Mass., Dept. A. 16-20

WANTED A newspaper canvasser. Call on F. W. Sanborn, Norway, Me. 16-17

HOTEL FOR SALE Hotel at North Waterford, known as the Hotel House. Good location. Inquire of Mrs. J. F. Rice, 64 Main Street, Norway, Me. 16-17

ALL ROUND PRINTER Wanted. Call on or address Advertiser Office, Norway, Me. 16-17

SPECIAL SALE THIS WEEK

BECK'S BAZAAR.

One lot silverware regular price 25c each, I shall sell at this sale everything included in the lot for 10c each.

25c Berry Spoons, 10c.
25c Gravy Ladles, 10c.
25c Cold Meat Forks, 10c.
25c Sugar Shells, 10c.
25c Pickle Forks, 10c.
25c Pie Knife, 10c.

These goods are guaranteed perfect in every way and will wear for years. I also have another lot of Silver Knives and Forks, \$1.00 each. These are warranted for three years wear. New line of Nickel Alarm Clocks, 98c. Pocket Knives from 10c to \$1.50 each.

Scissors of all kinds from 4 in. to 8 in., your choice 25c. New Jewelry just in, Shirt Waist Sets, Sash Pins, Brooches, Collar Buttons, Rings, Lockets, Bead Chains, Side Combs, Back Combs, Barettes, etc.

A call to my store will convince you we have as large a line and prices as low as any other dealer. My Crochery line is complete, just added to stock a large line of new patterns to sell for 10c each. Yours truly,

F. H. BECK, Norway, Maine.
Open Every Evening

Have you got to have

GO-CART
THIS SPRING?

We have a new line of 1903 make with all the improvements. A new lot of Morris Chairs. A new lot of Couches.

C. B. CUMMINGS & SONS.

GROCERIES

You will find a full line of Groceries usual to carry in a first-class store.

Teas and Coffee a specialty.

Try a package of Lilly Chop.

E. C. WINSLOW.

NORTH NORWAY.

Jacob F. Holt.

Jacob F. Holt, who has had a lung and stomach trouble for more than a year, passed away on Saturday night, the 4th. He was cheerful to the last and was out doors and at the barn two days before he died. He will be very much missed in the neighborhood as he was a favorite. He spent some six months last year at a sanitarium in Massachusetts, gaining in flesh while there but growing weaker and has been going down ever since.

The funeral was on Tuesday afternoon, the 7th. Chosen words were spoken by Rev. B. S. Rideout from the village. Mary Abbott Holt, a sister of the deceased, and aunt, Sarah Holt, came from Boston.

The bearers were Arthur Herrick, Oliver Buck, Arthur Messerve and Allie Buck. The casket was white and covered with fine flowers consisting of a spray of pinks, one for each year of his age (25), Augustana French, daffodils, Mrs. E. H. Norbend, Swampscot, Mass.; wreath of flowers and smilax, bouquets of pinks, calla lilies, coleus and white tulips, Endeavor Society and friends; white pinks and smilax, E. L. K. M. and B. B. Towne; geraniums and oleander blossoms, Dell Walker; mayflowers, Ruth Bean.

We hear Uncle John French has had a shock. Calvin Abbott and Charlie Holt are quite poorly.

Chandler Merrill has bought the Hayes place near Greenwood line.

Daniel Herrick is building a house opposite the Robert Frost place.

Ambrose Farnum and his mother have gone to Massachusetts on a visit.

Road commissioner Flint is looking sharp for the town's interest fixing the bad places in the roads.

We understand the cream route is to be divided and have two carriers, Oliver Merrill and Ambrose Farnum.

A short time ago while sawing wood, Oscar Cox cut a big gash on his hand, and as Irving Symonds happened to be there he took four stitches in the cut and did a good job for Mr. Cox.

Refrigerators

AND

Ice Chests

Do you want one? If so call on me before buying elsewhere. All sizes and prices, cheap for cash, at 16-25

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NORWAY, MAINE.

BUCKFIELD.

A Fish Story.

Ralph Morrill and Will Allen spent a day on a fishing pond. They returned without even a fish story. That reminds me. A resident of this town, now an old man, relates the following story. At one time living in the easterly part of the state, he states that he started out, went five miles in a boat, then walked one mile to the fishing grounds. He commenced to fish and when he got through he had trout weighing all the way from 1 1/2 to 5 pounds to the amount of 500 pounds, which he put into two sacks and carried them to his boat.

Saturday was bean day with the G. A. R. post.

The sick dogs are convalescent. Two have passed away of late.

Mrs. Emma Trask has been called to Peru by the death of her brother, Wm. Trask.

F. A. Taylor and wife are visiting relatives here. Mr. Taylor owns some real estate here.

Carroll Mason is improving. John Thorn is on the gain. Mrs. Thorn is still very ill.

The assessors are making taxes, and there is one singular feature, neither of them use tobacco.

Five women are reported to have left a dog, which they were taking with them, because the hounds tabooed the dog.

The remains of Mrs. Flora Young, widow of Otis Young, arrived at this place from Mechanic Falls, Tuesday, and were interred in Buckfield cemetery.

Schools commenced Monday. The village school has the same teachers that taught the winter term—Mr. Clement, high; Miss Spaulding, intermediate; Miss Brigham, primary.

Easter service brought out many flowers. The service at the Baptist church. Services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. B. F. Turner. Music and children's concert constituted the evening's exercises.

Yes, you might call it a merger. By reason of the afternoon down freight engine leaving the track, Monday, it was not replaced until after 9 o'clock Tuesday, causing a great congestion of rolling stock. A wrecking train accompanied by officials Osgood, Davis and a crew came down from the Falls.

WEST BETHEL.

Herbert Lord has a very fine looking

sick spell.

Mrs. G. B. Lowell is having quite a

T. G. Lary of Gilead was in this village recently.

Mrs. Herbert Lord has been away on a few days' visit.

A rug peddler passed through this village, last Monday.

H. W. Dennison received a car load of nice oats recently.

Tom Vashaw and wife went to Berlin, N. H., last Monday.

We noticed L. D. Grover hauling birch to the mill last week.

Mrs. Henry Stiles is being visited by her father from Massachusetts.

Elmer Flagg and family are visiting relatives in Waterford this week.

Christie Walker and Grace Stowell of Bethel made us a call last Sunday.

Deborah Connor has been quite sick, not able to be out for several weeks.

Robina Mason has rented a part of her house and the family have moved in.

Mabel Scribner is at Gorham, N. H., with her sister, Mrs. Goodridge, for a few days this week.

A. J. Haskell went to Portland recently on business. He is doing quite a business at his store and is well liked by his customers.

Dr. C. S. Wight and wife of Berlin, N. H., was in this vicinity recently and stayed over night with his sister, Mrs. Geo. A. Grover.

Mrs. Willie Mills has returned from a visit to her relatives and friends and is now at her place in the hotel at work for Mrs. J. E. Guptill.

Easter Sunday was observed at Union church in the evening. The recitations by the children were fine and very appropriate, each one doing well.

Lottie Mason has gone to Gilead to commence her third term of school in succession in the same district. This speaks well for her as being a good teacher and giving good satisfaction.

Frank Goodnow and wife of Gorham, N. H., are receiving congratulations from their friends on the arrival of another baby girl, this being the seventh child born to them, all being girls and all healthy children. They are all at home, the oldest 13 years old.

Ethel Hammons has gone to Oxford to teach the grammar school in the high school building. Miss Hammons has taught quite a number of schools and is a hard working and a successful teacher. She has had several calls to teach in different places this spring.

NORTH FRYEBURG.

Steve Buzzell is at home.

Alta Charles is at work for Will Pitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones were in Lovell Friday.

F. C. Davis of Lovell was in town Monday.

Wilson Webb went to Norway Friday returning Saturday.

Mrs. Edith Buzzell of Fryeburg Center was at home Sunday.

C. P. Giles and grandson Vernon went to Bromfield last Friday and returned Saturday.

Bliss Walker of Bridgton, who has been stopping at Roland Charles' for the past few weeks, returned to Bridgton last week.

Charles Binford of North Chatham and Charles Sawyer of Buxton, boarded with C. W. Brickett while surveying timber in town.

The Universalist Guild will give a baked bean supper and entertainment at Red Men's hall Wednesday, April 23, all are cordially invited.

SUMNER.

Carroll Russell lost a cow recently.

Cyrus Davenport of Peru is in town.

Thomas Dyer is visiting relatives in Peru.

Della Dyer is working for Mrs. George Spaulding.

Report is that Wallace Andrews has bought L. O. Brackett's farm.

H. W. Poland is having a bay window built. He believes in making improvements.

John Davenport has swapped his farm for the larger one of Mr. Philbrick of Hartford and is moving. Sorry to lose

FRYEBURG CENTER.

Run into a Tree.

Thomas Bragdon was taking home a wagon to Mr. Hutchins' last Saturday, when the horse started and run into a tree, clearing himself and running into E. C. Buzzell's dooryard, where he was secured. Mr. Bragdon was thrown from the carriage and considerably bruised but not seriously. The carriage was badly broken.

Mrs. Henry Hutchins is in poor health. J. O. Lord and Everett Goodridge have each a new wheel.

Charles Gordon is confined to his bed with rheumatism in his back.

Mrs. Hanson of North Conway is at her daughter's, Mrs. H. A. Quinn's.

J. V. Emerson has been repairing the buildings at Highland Park the past week.

Albertyna Walker visited her father at Edwin Abbott's and her aunt, Mrs. Hannah Walker, last week.

Edwin Abbott, W. S. Day and J. E. Hutchins go to Norway this week, to purchase horses of Mr. Andrews.

Mrs. Herbert Hurd and son Archie spent a part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Susan Seavey, at the Harbor.

George Charles has returned to Mr. Abbott's not being able to do the work at Frank Buzzell's, where he had hired for the summer.

STOW.

The Drive Is Safe.

Davis' popular drive of twenty-two hundred cords is in the main river, where it is safe. Many predicted it was so far up the mountain it wouldn't get out.

The logs all went out of Cold river in March, driven by Clifford Eastman and Charles Barrows.

Poor season for making maple syrup, not but a little made.

Fred L. Garland of Portland has been visiting at Ernest Emerson's.

Several from this vicinity have been to Norway to buy, sell, swap or trade horses some way.

J. R. Eastman has hired Ernest Emerson's farm for one year and will move soon. Mr. Emerson will move to Hill, N. H.

NORTH NEWRY.

Mrs. Minnie Eagle went to Bethel last Friday.

Two men buying old rubbers were in town last week.

Leander Bennett killed a pig for Erastus Thompson recently.

Sammie Eames has finished sawing birch at his mill this year.

Mrs. P. A. Morse visited her daughter, Mrs. Lilla Coleman in Gorham last week.

W. J. Vail has three sheep which have six lambs and one sheep which has three lambs.

The little two-months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson is very ill with pneumonia.

Wm. Walker has moved his household goods into the upstairs rent of L. M. Blanchard's house.

Austin Powers is moving his family from the Fred Henderson place to Mrs. Powers' father's, E. B. Knapp's.

Mrs. Alice Vail and grandson, Clarence McDonald, who have passed the winter with relatives in the Western states, have returned home.

NORTHWEST ALBANY.

Edmond Mason is cutting up a nice lot of firewood.

Edwin Rolfe is hauling lumber for the Paris Manufacturing Company.

George Rolfe and F. Foster are making themselves a nice farm wagon.

Mrs. Cora Vashaw of Lancaster is stopping with her sister, Mrs. N. W. Bennett.

Edwin Rolfe and Alice Mills went to East Waterford last week to visit H. O. and E. H. Rolfe.

John Bean has bought the McAllister place of Dora Merrill and N. W. Bennett moved there from this place Thursday.

Fred McLeod of Portland was in this place Sunday calling on friends. He took dinner with his aunt, Mrs. C. W. Rolfe.

William Mason is able to walk up to see his sister, Mrs. C. W. Rolfe. He had not walked as far for over one year until two weeks ago.

Mrs. Sylvanus Bennett and Mrs. Mary Hicks are keeping house alone. Mrs. Bennett is most thirty-one and takes care of a pig, two cows and quite a flock of hens.

WELCHVILLE.

Grace Carpenter visited her aunt in Minot last week.

Mabel Mont is teaching school in the Orway district.

Grace Warren is teaching the primary school in Oxford village.

Howard McGown from Berlin, N. H., is visiting his friend, Everett Staples.

School commenced the 18th, with Mrs. A. L. Chaplin and Maud Dresser as teachers.

R. A. A. Callahan preached an Easter sermon in the Methodist church last Sunday. The church was prettily decorated with potted plants.

EAST BROWNFIELD.

Herbert Wentworth of Fryeburg visited his grandfather, H. Gatchell, lately.

Rev. A. J. Cameron will continue his pastorate of the Congregational church the coming year, preaching only at Brownfield instead of dividing his labors with Hiram as formerly.

Mrs. E. A. G. Stickney and daughter Isabel have returned from a trip to California and will spend the summer here. Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Stickney who spent the winter in Boston, are here also.

Easter was appropriately observed at the Congregational church. The audience room was tastefully decorated, special music was rendered by the choir at the morning service and the sermon by Rev. Mr. Cameron was unexcelled in the beauty of thought and language. In the evening a fine concert was given, arranged and conducted by Mrs. A. J. Cameron.

HEBRON.

Della Bearpe went to New Gloucester, Saturday.

Mrs. L. B. Merrill visited friends in Auburn recently.

Prof. W. E. Sargent went to Boston Friday and returned Saturday.

A. M. Richardson of Portland spent Sunday with his family in Hebron.

The Ladies' circle meets Tuesday afternoon and evening for a picnic supper at the church.

Hazel Donham with her friend Bertha Stratton of Auburn spent Saturday and

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